



Raymond J. "Ray" Mersek

November 21, 1928 - September 27, 2022

Raymond J. "Ray" Mersek, age 93, of Willoughby Hills, passed away peacefully on September 27, 2022. He was born, November 21, 1928 in Cleveland, OH to the late Joseph and Helen (Fakult) Mersek.

Ray was a retired honorary member of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters for 68 years. He was a US Army, Korean War Veteran. He enjoyed winemaking, pinochle, and golf. He always had a bright smile and a positive attitude.

Survivors include his wife of 59 years: Fran (Brunner) Mersek; children: Al (Eileen Brown), Kathy (Dave) Zusman and Phil (Laura Biggs) Mersek; grandchildren: Amanda, Helen, Matt, Roark, Ryan and Grace Mersek, Amy, Sarah, and Mark Zusman. He also leaves behind half-brothers, a sister-in-law, many nieces and nephews and their families.

Preceding Ray in death are his brothers: Joe (Irene) and Leo (Martha) Mersek.

The family will receive friends from 5:00 – 8:00 pm Friday, October 7, 2022 at Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave. Mentor, OH, 44060.

A funeral mass will be at 10:00 am Saturday, October 8, 2022 at St. Mary of the Assumption Church, 8560 Mentor Ave. Mentor, OH. Please meet at the church.

Interment will be in Mentor Cemetery.

Send flowers or offer condolences at www.brunners.com

Cemetery Details

Mentor Cemetery

6881 Hopkins Rd.
Mentor, OH 44060

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 7. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center
8466 Mentor Avenue
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 255-3401
ajs@brunners.com
<https://www.brunners.com/>

Funeral Mass

OCT 8. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary Of The Assumption Church
8560 Mentor Avenue
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 255-3404
<https://stmarysmentor.org/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Raymond J. "Ray" Mersek.*



October 07, 2022 at 10:34 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Raymond J. "Ray" Mersek.*



October 06, 2022 at 07:06 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Raymond J. "Ray" Mersek.*



October 06, 2022 at 06:23 PM



“ *Lee J., Aniko, Zsafia, & Nikolaj Mersek purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Raymond J. "Ray" Mersek.*



Lee J., Aniko, Zsafia, & Nikolaj Mersek - October 06, 2022 at 09:44 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Raymond J. "Ray" Mersek.*



October 05, 2022 at 09:16 PM



“ *He always had a smile and kind word .*

Barbara Whidden - October 05, 2022 at 07:04 PM



“ *Dr.and Mrs. Albert Waldo (Rosin) purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Raymond J. "Ray" Mersek.*



Dr.and Mrs. Albert Waldo (Rosin) - October 05, 2022 at 04:19 PM



“ *We want to express our condolences to his wife and children. Mr. Mersek became a part of our family 36 years ago when we moved to Cleveland and bought a house that needed a lot of TLC.He was a master in everything he did.Our house is a tribute to him, everything is a remembrance of our dear friend. We will miss him, his stories, and his wine making adventures.*
Dr.and Mrs Albert Waldo (Rosin)

Rosin Waldo - October 05, 2022 at 03:16 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Raymond J. "Ray" Mersek.



October 05, 2022 at 09:07 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Raymond J. "Ray" Mersek.



October 03, 2022 at 03:52 PM



“ Fran Alan Kathy & Phil We're so very sorry to hear of Rays passing I remember as a child his smile & he was Always laughing and teasing us children I fondly remember his homemade wine and several of my friends loved it too. Please know you are all in our thoughts and prayers God Bless You All 💜💜

Lisa Pratt Mast - October 03, 2022 at 10:33 AM



“ Dear Mrs. Mersek and Family, we are sorry to hear that Mr. Mersek passed away. He was such a kind and loving man and a great friend to our parents. We hope you find comfort in all the fond memories of Mr. Mersek. With sympathy, Karen, Chris, and Susan Scott

Karen Tronsgard-Scott - October 02, 2022 at 05:57 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Raymond J. "Ray" Mersek.*



October 02, 2022 at 04:35 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Raymond J. "Ray" Mersek.*



October 01, 2022 at 10:35 PM



“ *With all our Love Herb & Nancy Hoffman purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Raymond J. "Ray" Mersek.*



With all our Love Herb & Nancy Hoffman - September 30, 2022 at 09:17 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Raymond J. "Ray" Mersek.*



September 30, 2022 at 05:23 PM

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“ *We are so sorry to hear about Mr. Mersek’s passing. We know that he was a kind man and we certainly enjoyed our wine taste testing with him when Kathy and Dave brought us over when we were visiting. May he Rest In Peace.*

Lisa and Vince Tomaino - September 30, 2022 at 04:50 PM